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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

SUBMISSION OF SIGNED DECLARATION

APPLICANT:

KOCKMANN ET AL

SERIAL NO.:

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GROUP ART UNIT: Unknown

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TITLE:

"METHOD AND DEVICE FOR TRANSMITTING INFORMATION

USING VARYING CARRIER FREQUENCIES BY MEANS OF A

FREQUENCY HOPPING METHOD"

Assistant Commissioner for Patents,

Washington, D.C. 20231

SIR:

Applicant hereby requests a one-month extension in the response period for response to the office action dated January 31, 2001, so that the response is due March 31, 2001. A check in the amount of \$110.00 for the extension is enclosed.

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements dated January 31, 2001, Applicants enclose herewith an executed declaration and power of attorney form. Also enclosed is a check in the amount of \$130.00 for the surcharge and/or copy of the Notification.

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